# CORRESPONDENCE IN LIEU OF DIRECTOR'S MEETING MONDAY, JULY 30, 2001

#### I. MAYOR

- \*1. NEWS RELEASE RE: Public Meeting Set On 84<sup>th</sup> Street Project (See Release).
- \*2. NEWS ADVISORY RE: In future stories on Kuklin Pool, please note that the money being raised is not being used to continue pool operations (See Release).
- \*3. NEWS RELEASE & VETO MESSAGE RE: Mayor Vetoes Approval Of Kabredlo's Alcohol Permit (See Material).
- \*4. NEWS ADVISORY RE: Mayor Don Wesely and Parks & Recreation officials will have a news conference at 9:30 am. Thursday, July 26<sup>th</sup> to discuss future plans for Holmes Lake (See Release).
- \*5. NEWS RELEASE RE: Mayor Announced Holmes Lake Restoration Project Pubic Meetings scheduled for fall (See Release).

#### II. CITY CLERK

# III. CORRESPONDENCE

# A. COUNCIL REQUESTS

# **ANNETTE McROY**

- 1. OUTSTANDING Request to Public Works & Utilities Department/ Parks & Recreation Department RE: North Bottoms Neighborhood sign (RFI#67 6/07/01). 1.) SEE RESPONSE FROM KAREN SIECKMEYER, PUBLIC WORKS & UTILITIES DEPARTMENT RECEIVED ON RFI#67 -6/12/01 (Will forward this RFI to the Parks & Rec. Department)
- 2. Request to Public Works & Utilities Department/ LES RE: Street lighting wattage (RFI#74 7/13/01). 1.) SEE RESPONSE FROM KAREN SIECKMEYER, PUBLIC WORKS & UTILITIES DEPARTMENT RECEIVED ON RFI#7/18/01 (REFERRED TO LARRY KATHAL AT LES)
- 3. Request to Law Department/Police RE: Fireworks (RFI#75 7/20/01)
- 4. Request to Public Works & Utilities Department, Sidewalks, Harry Kroos RE:

#### **COLEEN SENG**

- 1. OUTSTANDING Request to Steve Huggenberger, Law Department RE: Cable increases (RFI#863 7/02/01)
- 2. OUTSTANDING Request to **Parks & Recreation Department**/ Public Works & Utilities Department RE: Visit with Mr. Craig Dietrich & Murdock Trail conflicts (RFI#865 7/02/01). **1.**) **SEE RESPONSE FROM JIM VISGER**, **PUBLIC WORKS & UTILITIES DEPARTMENT RECEIVED ON RFI#865** -7/25/01
- 3. OUTSTANDING Request to Planning Department, Ed Zimmer RE: An Ordinance to keep the bottle burglars "out of excavation sites when development is taking place (RFI#866 7/09/01)
- 4. OUTSTANDING Request to Public Works & Utilities Department RE: Requesting more handicap parking spaces on Havelock Avenue (RFI#868 7/18/01). 1.) SEE RESPONSE FROM AL LEE, PUBLIC WORKS & UTILITIES DEPARTMENT RECEIVED ON RFI#868 7/25/01
- 5. OUTSTANDING Request to Health Department OR Building & Safety
  Department RE: Complaint about property at 5035 Knox (RFI#869 7/18/01).

   1.) SEE RESPONSE FROM RON MARQUART, HEALTH
   DEPARTMENT RECEIVED ON RFI#869 7/26/01
- 6. Request to Law Department/Building & Safety Department RE: Fireworks (RFI#870 7/23/01)

#### JON CAMP

- 1. OUTSTANDING Request to Dana Roper, City Attorney RE: Lincoln Fire and Rescue (RFI#60 6/21/01)
- 2. OUTSTANDING Request to Fire, Chief Spadt RE: Lincoln Fire and Rescue (RFI#61 6/21/01)
- 3. OUTSTANDING Request to Steve Hubka, Budget RE: Occupation tax (RFI#64 6/27/01)
- 4. OUTSTANDING Request to Georgia Glass, Personnel Director RE: Lincoln

# Fire and Rescue (RFI#65 - 7/11/01). — 1.) SEE RESPONSE FROM GEORGIA GLASS, PERSONNEL DIRECTOR RECEIVED ON RFI#65 - 7/20/01

- 5. OUTSTANDING Request to Fire Chief Spadt RE: Lincoln Fire and Rescue Non-Emergency Transport (RFI#66 7/11/01)
- 6. Request to Fire Chief Spadt RE: Lincoln Fire Department Attendance at Saltdogs Baseball Game Tuesday, July 24, 2001 (RFI#67 7/25/01)
- 7. Request to Georgia Glass, Personnel Director RE: Lincoln Fire and Rescue Rick Task—employee (RFI#68 7/25/01)

# **TERRY WERNER**

- OUTSTANDING Request to Law Department /Russell Shultz, Weed Control RE: The City Weed Ordinance (RFI#9 6/13/01). 1.) SEE RESPONSE FROM RUSS SHULTZ, WEED CONTROL RECEIVED ON RFI#9 6/18/01
- 2. OUTSTANDING Request to Parks & Recreation Department, Forestry RE: About a 100 Year old tree that is going to be removed (RFI#11 6/28/01)
- 3. OUTSTANDING Request to Chief Casady, LPD RE: Cigarette butt litter (RFI#12 7/23/01). 1.) SEE RESPONSE FROM RICHARD ANDERSON, POLICE LEGAL ADVISOR, LPD RECEIVED ON RFI#12 7/26/01
- 4. Request to Public Works & Utilities Department RE: A left turn signal at Hwy. 2 & Old Cheney (RFI#13 7/23/01)
- 5. Request to Public Works & Utilities Department/Planning Department RE: The Duteau Building at 19<sup>th</sup> North of "O" Street (RFI#14 7/23/01)
- 6. Request to Public Works & Utilities Department RE: Policy on lane markings (RFI#15 7/23/01)
- 7. Request to Animal Control RE: Citizen's Complaints that animals were in danger or were being significantly neglected (RFI#16 7/23/01)
- 8. Request to Lancaster County Assessor (gave copy to Gwen Thorpe & Norman Agenda) RE: Website Information (RFI#17 7/23/01)

# JONATHAN COOK

- 1. OUTSTANDING Request to Public Works & Utilities Department, Allan Abbott/Mayor's Office RE: 33<sup>rd</sup> & Sheridan Roundabout, 33<sup>rd</sup> St. Project Sheridan to Calvert, Potential 33<sup>rd</sup> St. Project South to Sheridan (RFI#41 7/02/01)
- 2. OUTSTANDING Request to Public Works & Utilities Department, Scott Opfer-RE: Crosswalk at 33<sup>rd</sup> & Lake (RFI#48 7/13/01). 1.) SEE RESPONSE FROM SCOTT OPFER, PUBLIC WORKS & UTILITIES DEPARTMENT RECEIVED ON RFI#48 7/25/01
- 3. OUTSTANDING Request to Public Works & Utilities Department RE: Repair of Driveway Between Curb and Sidewalk (RFI#46 7/13/01)
- 4. OUTSTANDING Request to Parks & Recreation Department RE: Boulevard Plantings (RFI#45 7/13/01)
- 5. OUTSTANDING Request to Parks & Recreation Department RE: American Liberty Elm Trees (RFI#49 7/18/01)
- 6. Request to Public Works & Utilities Department RE: Proposed "Round-About" at 33<sup>rd</sup> & Sheridan (RFI#50 7/23/01)
- 7. Request to Fire Department/Public Works & Utilities Department RE: Questions regarding fire hydrants and hoses (RFI#51 7/25/01)

# KEN SVOBODA

- 1. OUTSTANDING Request to Fire Department, Chief Spadt RE: Lincoln Fire Department Fire Call and financial information (RFI#1 6/29/01). 1.) SEE RESPONSE FROM FIRE CHIEF SPADT RECEIVED ON RFI#1 7/06/01
- 2. Request to Mayor's Office, Mark Bowen RE: Washington, DC Lobbyist (RFI#3 7/23/01)

# **GLENN FRIENDT**

- 1. OUTSTANDING Request to Georgia Glass, Personnel Director RE: Summary of employee insurance benefits (RFI#4 7/13/01). 1.) SEE RESPONSE FROM GEORGIA GLASS, PERSONNEL DIRECTOR RECEIVED ON RFI#4 7/24/01
- 2. OUTSTANDING Request to Public Works & Utilities Department, Dennis Bartels RE: Connecting property at 2501 S. Coddington to City water & sewer

(RFI#5 - 7/18/01). — 1.) SEE RESPONSE FROM DENNIS BARTELS, PUBLIC WORKS & UTILITIES DEPARTMENT RECEIVED ON RFI#5 - 7/26/01

#### B. DIRECTORS AND DEPARTMENT HEADS

# **COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

\*1. Letter from Kerry Eagan, Chief Administrative Officer to Gary E. Lacey, Lancaster County Attorney - RE: Ultimate Fighting (See Letter).

# FINANCE/CITY TREASURER

\*1. Material from Don Herz & Melinda Jones - RE: Resolution & Finance Department Treasurer Of Lincoln, Nebraska Investments Purchased Between July 16 And July 20, 2001.

#### HEALTH DEPARTMENT

\*1. NEWS RELEASE - RE: Meeting Of Business Executives On Worksite Health (See Release).

#### PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT

\*1. Response Letter from Lynn Johnson to Lela Knox Shanks - RE: Kuklin Pool (See Letter).

# **PLANNING**

\*1. Material from Jean Walker – Meeting Record - Planning Commission Meeting – RE: Special Planning Commission Meeting - Continued Public Hearing on the proposed Comprehensive Plan Amendments for the South and East Beltway Corridors (See Material).

# PUBLIC WORKS & UTILITIES DEPARTMENT

- \*1. Response Letter from James R. Visger to Brent Braun RE: The construction on 33<sup>rd</sup> Street in relation to LES poles (See Letter).
- \*2. InterOffice Memo from Nick McElvain RE: Automated Meter Reading Resolution #01R-197 (See Memo).
- \*3. Response Letter from Scott Opfer to George Hunt RE: Adams Street Speed

Limit (See Letter).

# C. MISCELLANEOUS

- \*1. Letter from Betty Noonan RE: Mahoney Park (See Letter).
- \*2. E-Mail from Carol & John Brown RE: They very strongly disagree with the decision of the Council to condemn the businesses to the north of the City-County Building for the purpose of building a parking lot (See E-Mail).
- \*3. Letter from Mary Geislor -RE: The news that Pershing Auditorium is being looked at for possible updating (See Letter).
- \*4. E-Mail from Alan Curtiss RE: The City has a major revamping of 84<sup>th</sup> Street about to start and are planning to close 84<sup>th</sup> for a year (See E-Mail).
- \*5. E-Mail from David Atkinson RE: Concerns on the need to locate new parking for the City/County Building (See E-Mail).
- \*6. E-Mail from Sylvia Fuller RE: Kabredlos (See E-Mail).
- \*7. E-Mail from Shirley & Eugene Huenink RE: Please DO NOT close the Heritage Gift Shop (See Letter).
- \*8. Letter from Fred A. Hoke, Business Development, Modis, The Information Technology Leaders RE: Proposed Increase in Occupation Tax (See Letter).
- \*9. Letter from James Micek RE: The Lincoln City Council approved the condemnation and/or negotiation for a square block of property located north of the present City/County Building (See Letter).
- \*10. Faxed Material from J.J. Yost RE: Proposed Restoration & Enhancement of Holmes Lake (See Material).

# IV. DIRECTORS

# V. CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS

#### VI. ADJOURNMENT

\*HELD OVER UNTIL AUGUST 13, 2001.